Attempt by Pakistan Troops to Sneak in Kashmir Militants in Poonch sector

715. SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Pakistani troops in Poonch Sector made several attempts during the last 3-4 months to sneak Pak-trained Kashmiri militants;

(b) if so, the details of such attempts;

(c) whether the Pakistani troops opened fire on Indian troops also; and

(d) if so, the steps contemplated by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI SHARAD PAWAR): (a) to (c) The Pakistani troops deployed along the Line of Control in J&K made several attempts to assist the anti-national elements to infiltrate into the Indian side by giving them covering fire directed at the Indian troops.

(d) Government constantly monitor all developments in the border areas and take appropriate measures to ensure full defence preparedness at all times.

Annual Electronic Production in Kerala

716. SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total annual production of various electronic items in the country and the level of production in Kerala; and

(b) the share of public sector in this production by States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) The total value of production of electronic items during 1990 in the country was as follows:—

Items	Production (Rs. Crores)
1. Consumer Electronics	2938
2. Indl. Electronics	1400
3. Data Processing System	820
4. Communication & Broadcast	1630
5. Strategic Electronics	570
6. Components	1520
7. FTZs	322
TOTAL :	9200

The total value of electronics production in Kerala was Rs. 266.57 Crores during 1990.

(b) The state-wise public sector production during 1990 is given in the Statement.

Statement

Statewise Public Sector Production during **1990**

(value in Rs. Crores)

S. No.	State	Production
1	Andhra Pradesh	385·65
2	Assam	1·55
3	Bihar	1·02
4	Goa	5·05
5	Gujarat	35·85
6	Haryana	52·51
7	J & K	3·95
8	Karnataka	946·97
9	Kerala	122·84
10	Madhya Pradesh	56·22
11	Maharashtra	69·20
12	Manipur	0·72
13	Meghalaya	0·38
14	Orissa	20·55
15	Punjab	88·09
16	Rajasthan	122·82
17	Tamilnadu	67·44
18	Uttar Pradesh	833·38
19	West Bengal	43·12
	TOTAL	28,57·31

Modernisation of Food Processing Industry

717. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to modernise food processing industry in the country to make it high-technology sector;

(b) if so, the details of the steps Government propose to take in this regard;

(c) whether the export target of processed foods would be achieved; and

(d) if so, to what extent?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING